FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554

IN REPLY REFER TO: 1800B3-KLJ

November 2, 2009

Baldridge-Dumas Communications, Inc. Tedd W. Dumas 605 San Antonio Avenue Many, LA 71449

In re: KVCL(AM), Winnfield, LA

Facility ID No. 26232 Silent Since June 30, 2009 Request For Special Temporary Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Dumas:

This letter concerns the request, filed on July 22, 2009, on behalf of Baldridge-Dumas Communications, Inc., for Special Temporary Authority to permit Station KVCL(AM) to remain silent.

Baldridge-Dumas Communications, Inc.'s request states that KVCL(AM) went silent on June 30, 2009 due to lack of financial viability. Baldridge-Dumas Communications, Inc.'s request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.^[1]

Baldridge-Dumas Communications, Inc.'s request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KVCL(AM) to remain silent for a period not to exceed 180 days from the date of this letter. Notwithstanding the grant of this special temporary authority, the broadcast license for KVCL(AM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m. July 1, 2010. See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

In the event extension of special temporary authority is sought, please renew the certification in this matter.

^[2] Notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be mailed to:

The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for renewal of broadcast license. Finally, we note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed. *See* 47 C.F.R. Sections 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely,

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cc: David M. Silverman, Esq.